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FM AMCONSUL SYDNEY

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 4785

INFO AMEMBASSY CANBERRA

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AMCONSUL AUCKLAND

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: OREP, AS

SUBJ: CODEL BENTSEN

REF: SYDNEY 1930, STATE 160042, STATE 160735

1. FOLLOWING ARE QUOTES AND EXPLANATIONS FROM THREE  
MESSAGES RECEIVED BY PAN AM, SYDNEY.  
MESSAGE ONE:

QUOTE 1. HTL PA HK1SYD IN20AUG73 OUT 23AUG TWNS MODR WENT-  
WORTH AUD27.00. 2. HTL PA KK 1SYD IN20AUG73 OUT23AUG  
DBLB MODR MENZIES OSI PA CARES TEXAS SENATOR. OSI PA  
ATLAS TRVL/3411 MONTROSE AVE/IAH/77006. UNQUOTE.

EXPLANATION:

THIS IS A REQUEST FOR CONFIRMATION OF HOTEL BOOKING AT  
EITHER WENTWORTH OR MENZIES HOTEL FOR SENATOR & MRS.  
BENTSEN FOR AUG 20 TO 23, 1973, BOOKED BY ATLAS TRAVEL,  
3411 MONTROSE AVE., HOUSTON, TEXAS THROUGH PAN AM HOUSTON  
AND NEW YORK.

MESSAGE TWO

QUOTE XAF144, QD SYDRRPA NYCRMPA 291417HCG9251  
IAHPA 23426020PRR 2BENTSEN/LLOYD/MRS. HTL PA XX1SYD  
IN20AUG 73 OUT23AUG TWNS MODR WENTWORTH-AUD27.00. UNQUOTE  
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EXPLANATION:

CANCELLATION OF HOTEL BOOKINGS FOR SENATOR AND MRS. BENTSEN FOR PERIOD AUG 20 TO 23, 1973 AT HOTEL WENTWORTH REQUESTED THROUGH PAN AM HOUSTON AND PAN AM NEW YORK, MESSAGE NUMBER XAF144.

MESSAGE THREE

QUOTE XAF246 QK SYDRRPA NYCRMPA 062039HCP8122 IAHPA 35733370PRR 2BENTSEN/SENMRSL. PA815Y21 AUG PPTAKE HK2. HTL PA NN1SYD IN24AUG 73 OUT27 AUG TWNB MODR WENTWORTHHTL ADVRATE SSR OTHS PA VIP TEXAS SENATOR SSR OTHS PA VIP TEXAS SENATOR OSI PA IHCPTT-NN TWNB ROOM. OSI PA CAKL AGCY BKNG ATLAS TRAVEL/3411 MONTROSE AVE/IAH/TEX UNQUOTE.

EXPLANATION:

REQUEST FOR CONFIRMED HOTEL SPACE FOR SENATOR AND MRS. BENTSEN AT WENTWORTH HOTEL FOR PERIOD AUG 24 THROUGH 27, 1973, MADE BY ATLAS TRAVEL OF HOUSTON THROUGH PAN AM, HOUSTON AND NEW YORK. IT ALSO REQUESTS A ROOM AT HOTEL INTERCONTINENTAL AT PAPETTEE AND SHOWS ARRIVAL AT AUCKLAND, NEW ZEALAND FROM PAPETTEE ON AUGUST 21.

2. PLEASE ADVISE APPROPRIATE ACTION FOR AUCKLAND, SYDNEY AND CANBERRA. MARSHALL

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